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5. ASIA FIBER CO., LTD.

6. 123-131 RAJPRASONG ROAD

7. BANGKOK 5

8. CONTACT: MR. LIU YUNG LI

9. TITLE: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR/PRESIDENT
OTHER OFFICIALS ARE: MR. SNIT VIRAVAN, CHAIRMAN AND
MR. PIPAT SIRIKIETSOONG, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR.

10. PHONE: 2517754-5 11. TELEX: ASIAFIBER TH 2537
12. CABLE: ASIABER

13. ESTBL: 1970 14. EMPL: 750 15. SIZE: LARGE
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16. REPUTATION: Y-GOOD 17. RPT DATE: 07/78

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23A. 22810/M54 MFR.DIST.EXP. OF NYLON YARN

24. FOREIGN SALES: IRAQ, SRI LANKA AND PAKISTAN

25. FINANCIAL REFS: BANGKOK BANK LTD., 3 SUAPA ROAD,
BANGKOK; BANGKOK METROPOLITAN BANK LTD., P.O.BOX NO.1-99,
BANGKOK; THAI DEVELOPMENT BANK LTD., BANGKOK, THAILAND.

26. TRADE REFS: C. TENNANT SONS & CO. OF NEW YORK, 100
PARK AVE., NEW YORK, N.Y.10017; MERRIMAN INC., 100
INDUSTRIAL PARK ROAD, HINGHAM, MASS.02043; DOW CHEMICAL
INT'L INC., MIDLAND, MICHIGAN.

27. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: NA

28. POST EVALUATION: ASIA FIBER WAS INCORPORATED IN 1970
WITH AN AUTHORIZED CAPITAL OF \$7,500,000 TO MANUFACTURE
AND EXPORT NYLON FILAMENT YARN AND FABRICS. IT IMPORTS
RAW MATERIALS FROM JAPAN (70 PERCENT) AND THE NETHERLANDS
(30 PERCENT). IT LEASES AN OFFICE OF 800 SQ.METERS AND
OWNS A FACTORY OF 184,000 SQ.METERS, LOCATED IN ONE OF
BANGKOK'S INDUSTRIAL AREAS. THE TOTAL INVESTMENT IN
CAPITAL MACHINERY WAS REPORTED TO BE \$15,900,000. ASIA
FIBER HAS AN ANNUAL PRODUCTION CAPACITY OF 5,400 METRIC
TONS BUT IS PRODUCING AT 95 PERCENT OF ITS CAPACITY. ITS
TOTAL SALES IN 1977 WERE APPROXIMATELY \$12.5 MILLION.
FIRM IS AFFILIATED WITH THE ASIA GARMENT WHICH IS A
GARMENT MANUFACTURER AND EXPORTER. IT IS MEMBER OF THE
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THAI TEXTILE MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION; ASSOCIATION OF
THAI INDUSTRIES AND THAI SYNTHETIC FIBER MANUFACTURER
ASSOCIATION. LOCAL BANKS REPORT FAVORABLY ON THE SUBJEC1;
IT IS CONSIDERED TO BE A GOOD TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. FIRMS

29. PREP: SATHIT/SOMSAK APPR: MATTHEW P. WARD.
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